

TABLE 16
U.S. TOBACCO TRADE BALANCE
UNMANUFACTURED AND MANUFACTURED
(\$1,000)

Tobacco Type	January - May					
	1998			1999		
	Imports	Exports	Trade Balance	Imports	Exports	Trade Balance
Unmanufactured Tobacco						
Flue-cured	43,741	361,048	317,307	68,043	346,801	278,758
Burley	33,021	245,187	212,166	49,783	273,289	223,506
Oriental	208,844	0	(208,844)	120,445	0	(120,445)
Other	59,721	124,373	64,652	52,185	99,567	47,382
Total Unman.	345,327	730,608	385,281	290,456	719,657	429,201
Manufactured Tobacco						
Cigarettes	22,379	1,793,669	1,771,290	36,002	1,463,357	1,427,355
Other	164,744	283,421	118,677	103,522	265,235	161,713
Total Manuf.	187,123	2,077,090	1,889,967	139,524	1,728,592	1,589,068
Total	532,450	2,807,698	2,275,248	429,980	2,448,249	2,018,269

NOTE: DUE TO DATA AGGREGATION, ROUNDING ERRORS MAY OCCUR.

SOURCE: COMPILED FROM BUREAU OF CENSUS RECORDS.

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